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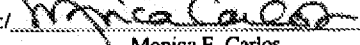
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 12, 2007, please enter the following amendments and remarks. This Response is being filed with a Petition for Three Month Extension of Time and requisite fees, making this a timely response.

**Amendments to the Claims** begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.